

FORM B - BUILDING

MASSACHUSETTS HISTORICAL COMMISSION
294 WASHINGTON STREET, BOSTON, MA 02108

AREA	FORM NO.
	584



own Lexington

address 162 Marrett Road

historic Name Pines Poultry Farm

se: Present residential

Original residential

DESCRIPTION:

Date c. 1850

Source stylistic analysis, map research

Style Greek Revival

Architect _____

Exterior wall fabric shingles

Outbuildings attached barn

Major alterations (with dates) _____

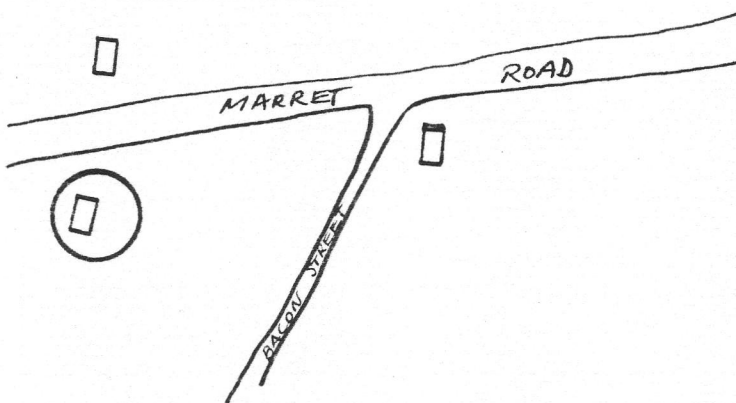
Moved _____ Date _____

Approx. acreage 33327 ft.²

Setting A prominent site on a rise with retaining wall across the frontage; conservation land forms visual perimeter to the rear.

SKETCH MAP

Show property's location in relation to nearest cross streets and/or geographical features. Indicate all buildings between inventoried property and nearest intersection. Indicate north.



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Organization Lexington Historical Commission

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ARCHITECTURAL SIGNIFICANCE (Describe important architectural features and evaluate in terms of other buildings within the community.)

Similar in overall design to its neighbor to the north, this building has a broad frieze, panelled corner pilasters, and very simple Greek Revival frontispiece. A porch with cut-out supports and brackets was added to the front of the structure at a later period.

HISTORICAL SIGNIFICANCE (Explain the role owners played in local or state history and how the building relates to the development of the community.)

W.B. Randolph was the owner in 1853; James E. Foster was the owner from before 1875 to after 1889. By 1898 William H. Bacon owned and operated the Pines Poultry Farm here.



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